Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Do not the Government think that in the interests of the ailing public, the public loyalty of medical men and women in particular places is a ground to be taken into consideration so as not to transfer them?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It does not seem to be necessary. The public want efficient service. So long as that is satisfied, other things are not taken into consideration.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Am I to take it that the view of the Government is that no doctor is useful for any patient?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I think so generally.

Cases disposed of by the Anjikaimal District Court.

199. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan. -Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of cases disposed of by the Anjikaimal District Court (Principal and Additional) in 1105;

(b) the number of cases disposed of by the said court (Principal, Additional and temporary Additional Courts) in the year 1106 up-to-date?

Mr. V. D. Ouseph.—(a) 4,731.

(b) 5,462.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know the number of cases filed in 1105?

Mr. V. D. Ouseph.—I want notice.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—(b)—Figure 5,462—until which date is that figure?

Mr. V. D. Ouseph.—The information supplied is, dated 19th Karkadagam 1106. The figures may refer to four or five days back.

Visha Vaidyasala Avanaparamba Mana.

200. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the Council table the report submitted by the Panchayat President of Vadakkancheri as well as the Registrar of Panchayats on the petition presented to the Diwan in 1106, regarding the inconvenience felt by people in attending the Visha Vaidyasala run at Avanaparamba Mana and say:—

(a) whether there is any good road leading to the Visha Vaidyasala;

(b) how far the Vaidyasala is from the public roads at Vadakkancheri;

(c) whether the petition was forwarded to anybody else for enquiry or remarks?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The papers are placed on the table (*Appendix I*).

(a) Yes. There is the Kumbalangad Panchayat road.

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